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1. SOE informs us that a certain Dr. VON WINKLER has arrived SWITZERLAND with the aid of high GESTAPO officials and ostensible aim to inform ALLIES 18 WEHRMACHT divisions ZAGREB area composed of 70 per cent AUSTRIANS desirous fighting on ALLIED side.

2. BRITISH warn that WINKLER's past record very bad and that LONDON AUSTRIAN groups unanimous he is corrupt and discredited.

3. Foreign Office has turned him down.

4. SOE informing their representative urging greatest caution.

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